WRITING INTENSIVE CONCENTRATION

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Writing Intensive Concentration (WIC) courses build on the learning objectives in English composition and technical writing classes, providing students the opportunity to refine and apply those writing skills in a variety of academic and professional contexts. The concentration comprises a minimum of 12 credit hours. WIC-designated courses are offered every semester in a variety of academic disciplines.

Writing Intensive Concentration Requirements

- 1. Complete the following courses with an A or B (6 credit hours):
 - EGL 101 Composition I, 3 credit hours
 - EGL 102 Composition II, 3 credit hours
 - OR EGL 111 Introduction to Business and Technical Writing, 3 credit hours
 - OR EGL 212 Technical Writing Applications, 3 credit hours
- Complete two (2) additional courses tagged as Writing Intensive Concentration (WIC) in the Fall or Spring of the second academic year with a grade of C or Better (6 credit hours).

Students meeting the requirements for the concentration will have a notation added to their transcript. In order to receive this notation, students must meet with the Writing Intensive Concentration Coordinator and complete a Writing Intensive Concentration Completion Form.

Concentration Learning Outcomes

- 1. Identify the demands of an audience in terms of writing conventions for academic and / or professional rhetorical situations.
- Use writing process techniques of planning, drafting, revising based on feedback and editing for presentation to compose academic or professional writing for a particular audience.
- Use research databases and online search techniques to identify and select sources to support writing in academic and professional rhetorical situations.
- 4. Critically evaluate sources for bias and / or misrepresentation.
- Evaluate their own and others' writing as part of the revision process and incorporate feedback from others in the writing process.